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1. IN REF "A" REQUESTED COMMUNICATION CHANNELS BE ESTAB-

LISHED AT ON A BASIS SIMILAR TO THAT AT REF "E" DENIED

REF "A" REQUEST, STATING COULD BE USED AND 25X1A

WAS FACILITY. DESIRES REBUTT REF "B" BASED ON

FOLLOWING ARGUMENTS. 25X1A

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A. ARE NOT AVAILABLE AT UNLESS YOU

DESIRE LOCAL DOD COGNIZANT OFFICE IN NEW YORK AREA BE BROUGHT INTO

THE ACT AND BE A MESSAGE CENTER FOR US.

B. THE TERM IN REF "B" IS NOT UNDERSTOOD - OUR  
CONTRACTS WITH HAVE CONTROL NUMERS AND SECURITY REMAINS

UNDER TYPE COGNIZANCE.

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25X1A C. OUR UNDERSTANDING [ ] COMMO PEOPLE CAN INSTALL SYSTEM AND  
25X1A NO WORKLOAD INCREASE NEED BE EXPERIENCED BY [ ] COMCENTER, UNLESS  
25X1A [ ] AND SECURITY DESIRE BE ON NETWORK. 25X1A  
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D. WE HAVE PERIODICALLY HEAVY CONCENTRATION OF [ ] MAIL AND  
TELEPHONE TRAFFIC AND PEOPLE AT ADP, EDWARDS, PSO, BEALE AND HERE AND  
IT CAN ONLY INCREASE AS PRODUCTION UNITS GET INTO FIELD AND CHANGE  
REQUIREMENTS ARE IDENTIFIED.

25X1 E. THE TOTAL DOLLAR VALUE [ ] CONTRACTS IS [ ] THIRD ONLY 25X1A  
25X1 AFTER ADP AND [ ]

25X1A F. THE [ ] INTERFACE WITH ADP/SPO IS BECOMING MORE INVOLVED  
AS WE TRY TO INTEGRATE THE MISSION PLANNING FUNCTIONS, THE MAINTENANCE  
DATA READ OUT/ANALYSIS, AND THE ASSOCIATED HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE  
FOR EACH. WE FEEL WE HAVE STUMBLER IN THIS AREA BECAUSE OF LACK  
25X1A OF GOOD COMMUNICATIONS WITH [ ]

G. ONE PRIME ENGINEER HERE INITIATED 137 TELEPHONE CALLS FROM  
HERE DURING PAST YEAR. COUNTING INCOMING CALLS IMPOSSIBLE BUT A  
FACTOR OF 2 TIMES OUTGOING WOULD BE ON CONSERVATIVE SIDE. VISIT CLEAR-  
ANCES AND SECURITY COORDINATION CALLS NOT COUNTED.

H. LOGISTIC SUPPORT PROBLEMS HAVE NOT YET BEEN IDENTIFIED BUT  
WILL BE WITH US THROUGH THE LIFE OF THE PROGRAM AS THEY RELATE TO  
OL'S, ENGINEERING CHANGES, AND ROUTINE EAST TO WEST COAST SUPPORT.

I. FLIGHT TESTING HAS BEEN LIMITED TO DATE AND FIRST PRODUCTION  
UNIT WAS DELIVERED 5 MARCH TO ADP. THE PROJECT ENGINEERS NEED SOME-  
THING BETTER THAN THE TELEPHONE AND U.S. MAIL TO DOCUMENT PROBLEMS AND  
SOLUTIONS THERETO.

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J. THE REQUESTED TWX LINK WOULD NOT BE USED FOR [ ] ACTIVITY, EXCEPT AS IT RELATES TO SPO. THIS IS NO DIFFERENT THAN OTHER FACILITIES. NO DIRECT CONTACT BY CONTRACTORS WITH USING COMMAND IS AUTHORIZED NOR INTENDED TO BE AUTHORIZED BY US. THE SPO WILL CONTINUE TO BE THE LINK BETWEEN EACH AND [ ] CHANNELS WILL BE USED WHERE AND WHEN AVAILAELE TO SUPPLY THE LINK.

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2. BASED ON ABOVE AS MINIMUM ARGUMENTS WE HEREWITH RESTATE OUR REQUIREMENT FOR TWX FACILITIES AT [ ] AS A MINIMUM THEY SHOULD BE AUTHORIZED CONTACT [ ]

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[ ] MAY BE DESIRED BY THE PRINCIPALS AT EACH BUT THE [ ] STATIONS CONTACT SHOULD BE THRU US. REQUEST YOUR FAVORABLE REACTION TO STATED REQUIREMENT.

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3. REF'S C AND D RELATE TO SIMILAR POLICY PROBLEM AND SUGGEST A DISCUSSION AND AFFIRMATION OF POLICY BETWEEN GENERAL GEARY, GENERAL LEDFORD, SECURITY/COMM CENTER, COLS [ ] BEERLI, [ ] 25X1A [ ] IS IN ORDER. THIS OFFICE WISHES TO GO ON RECORD NOW AS STATING THE MANAGEMENT OF THIS PROGRAM VIS A VIS THE RESPONSIBILITIES ENTRUSTED TO KEY PERSONNEL, BOTH INDUSTRIAL AND GOVERNEMENT, IS GREATLY ENHANCED AND MADE ABUNDANTLY MORE FLEXIBLE BY THE EXCELLENT COMMUNICATION FACILITIES AVAILAPLE. ANY DIMINUTION OF THESE FACILITIES CAN ONLY REDUCE REACTION TIME AND MANAGEMENT FLEXIBILITY. [ ] READY TO DISCUSS FURTHER AT YOUR CONVENIENCE.

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